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SUBJECT: CHINESE REPRESENTATION IN THE IMF/IBRD

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1. EMBOFF CALLED ON MR. YANGNI N'DA, DIRECTEUR DE CABINET OF THE MINISTRY OF ECONOMY AND FINANCE, ON AUGUST 22, 1975 AND MADE LOW-KEY REPRESENTATION AS PER INSTRUCTIONS CONTAINED REFTEL ON USG SUPPORT FOR CONTINUED ROC PARTICIPATION IN IMF/IBRD AND, SHOULD A CHALLENGE ARISE, OF OUR INTENT TO EMPLOY PROCEDURAL TACTICS TO PREVENT ISSUE FROM COMING TO A VOTE.

2. N'DA REPLIED THAT, WHILE HE WAS NOT IN POSITION TO STATE GOIC'S POSITION ON THIS POLITICAL MATTER, HE WOULD RELAY USG POSITION TO MR. HENRI KONAN BEDIE, MINISTER OF ECONOMY AND FINANCE, WHO IS NOW IN PARIS, AND WILL BE CHAIRMAN OF GOIC DELEGATION AT SEPTEMBER MEETINGS OF IMF/IBRD.

3. EMBASSY HAS NO DOUBTS REGARDING GOIC STANCE ON THIS MATTER.
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GOIC IS ONE OF VERY FEW AFRICAN STATES WHICH HAS NOT RECOGNIZED

PRC. ROC CONTINUES TO BE RECOGNIZED AND HAS EMBASSY HERE.
EMBASSY IS SURE THAT, SHOULD CHALLENGE ARISE, GOIC WOULD
SUPPORT USG POSITION AND STRATEGY. COOKE

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